**Import of Jute**

3320. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of jute imported by the country during the years 1990 to till date; and

(b) what are the details of foreign exchange spent thereon, year-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI ASHOK GEHLOT): (a) and (b) Juts Corporation of India has not imported any raw jute during the years 1990 to till date.

**Difficulties faced by Producers of Nylon Filament Yarn**

3321. SHRI P. UPENDRA: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that nylon filament yam producers are facing difficulties as a result of the Government's tax policy;

(b) what is the number of the producers of nylon filament yam who have shown negative profits during the current financial year; and

(c) what steps Government are taking to help the industry to improve its performance?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI ASHOK GEHLOT) : (a) to (c) Information is being collected.

**Request for long term Loan for Co-perative Spinning**

3322. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Maharashtra have asked for grant of long term loans to cooperative spinning mills; and

(b) if so, what are the details and decision taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRl ASHOK GEHLOT): (a) and (b) As per the information made available, National Co-operative Deve, lopment Corporation (NCDC) has received three proposals of Co-operative Spinning Mills from the Government of Maharashtra, seeking financial assistance during 1991-92. Details and decision taken thereon are as uhder:-

1. *Dongrai Maga Sragiya Cooperative Spinning Mills, Calepur, Sangli.*

   Project Cost.....Rs. 1944 lakhs.

   NCDC's assistance sought.....Rs. 497 lakhs.

   Remarks— Project proposal-rejected because of the nonavailability of cc fieri in the arc?.

2. *Painganga Cooperative Spinning Mills Sakhar Khedia, Distt. Buldbhana .*

   Project Cost . . . . . Rs. 1584 lakhs

   NCDC's assistance sought .....Rs. 356.4 lakhs

   Remarks—The project is under consideration.

3. *Nalganga Cooperative Spinning Mills, Distt. Guldana :*

   Project Cost..... Rs. 1500 lakhs

   NCDC's assistance sought.....Rs. 337.5 lakhs.

   Remarks- The project is under consideration.